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## SUPERVISORS TO TALK OVER TAX CUT NEXT WEEK

The board of supervisors of this county will meet Tuesday in the matter of the twenty per cent cut made by the board sitting as a board of equalization from the assessment by County Assessor Bone of irrigated land and city lots in this county. This cut had been opposed at the state tax conference at Prescott and a resolution was offered to the tax commission to sustain the assessor. Chairman Luke of the board of supervisors said yesterday that the board would be able to demonstrate to the commission that the proposed cut was a reasonable one. Said he: "The assessments were based on those of the Somers system employed a couple of years ago and that was based on fictitious values of city property. City lots were then assessed for their full cash value and that value was fixed by prices that purchasers had agreed to pay for property and actually made small payments. Most of the property so assessed and the transactions, which fixed the values at that time had since been turned back to the sellers. In one case, a piece of property then valued at \$4,000, that being the known value of the property, was sold for \$2,000. There have been many instances of this kind. I know of several pieces of property which have been assessed for amounts far in excess of the prices their owners ask for them.

"In the town of Bisbee Douglas and other places city lots are assessed for half, or less than the assessments that have been placed on Phoenix lots. In the business district of Phoenix there are twenty-five foot lots whose rental is about \$150 a month. A lot of the same size in either Bisbee or Douglas will produce as much.

## WILL CONSIDER DIFFICULTIES OF THE BORDER

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Point Comfort, Va., probably would be selected.

The text of the note follows:

"Mr. Secretary:

"I have the honor to transmit to your excellency the following note which I have just received from my government:

"Mr. Secretary:

"In due reply to the courteous note of the department of state dated July 26, 1916, I have the honor to say to your excellency that the first chief of the constitutional army, in

TRUST an old-time smoker to pick wisely! A lot of them have been smoking the OWL for a good many years. Every year they're a little more convinced that it's an extra good five-cent cigar.



## MORE VIGOROUS MEASURES TO STAMP OUT PLAGUE

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

NEW YORK, August 4.—More vigorous measures in the isolation of infantile paralysis sufferers, together with a house to house survey, will be a week for purposes of education and an earlier detection of the disease, were recommended to the department of health today by a committee of leading pathologists and bacteriologists of the country who for two days have been surveying the epidemic stricken districts of New York.

"We are of the opinion," the report says, "that satisfactory isolation is secured only in hospitals. That affords the most thorough protection for the public and better for the individual patient."

While there is still much to learn concerning the period of incubation and the various means of transmission of the disease, the report says, physicians and parents can give great help in promoting sanitary conditions in the homes.

Chief among preventative measures is the close observation of children and special care of eyes and ears. Food for children should be selected with care and thoroughly cooked, the report continues. Present information shows that the disease is most readily spread by personal contact, although it can be transmitted through the bites of insects, or directly from the "sick" to susceptible persons or indirectly from the sick through carriers. It is stated.

## NEW BLACKLIST OF SHIPPING OF THE NEUTRALS

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

LONDON, Aug. 4.—The latest blacklist of neutral shipping issued today by the trade division of the admiralty represents 152,456 tons of steamers and sailing vessels, unavailable to British charters on the claim that they are now or have been engaged in unneutral service.

The latest list contains, in addition to those published in a previous list, the names of the following ships flying the American flag and which are now in the service of the government while awaiting a decision of their status by a prize court, appear on the list without any indication of their nationality, while the other Wagner boats appear as American.

A large number of ships on the list are bracketed under a caution stating that they have temporarily been removed from the blacklist while under charter to entente allies or innocent neutral interests.

Steamer Seneca and sailing ship Edgar W. Murdoch.

Wagner liners, that have been captured by the British and are now in the service of the government while awaiting a decision of their status by a prize court, appear on the list without any indication of their nationality, while the other Wagner boats appear as American.

## GOTHAM FACES TIE UP OF HER TROLLEY LINES

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by a committee of six which had been appointed to confer with the company heads.

A letter received by the committee from Mr. Hedley said he was "at all times willing to meet the employees of this company" and that he would be glad to see the committeemen at his office at noon tomorrow.

The meeting was marked with high enthusiasm and the vote to strike was 100 to 0. The committee was elected by a vote of 100 to 0.

The meeting was attended by a delegation from the Central Labor Federation representing 250,000 union men who pledged their moral and financial support to the men in their efforts to unionize. Telegrams were received from Chicago, Boston and Detroit, making similar pledges.

A firm of Boston lawyers wired that friends of the Carner's union in that city would advance the strike here if the amalgamated association, on their own terms, \$100,000, to help you and the New York carmen in their fight to attain industrial freedom and independence.

Prompt action was taken by General Manager Hedley to provide for emergencies. He notified Max Schmittberger, chief inspector of police, that a strike had been called on the lines of the New York City street car company. Inspector Schmittberger at once detailed men to guard the power houses and car barns of the company.

That Tom Mooney, indicted in San Francisco for the murder of eight persons killed in the explosion of a bomb during the recent preparedness parade there, was an "accredited agent" of President Mahon of the street car union, is made in a telegram signed by Charles M. Fickert, district attorney at San Francisco, forwarded to Mayor Mitchell today by President Shonts.

The telegram is as follows:

"You are correctly informed. I have documentary evidence showing that Tom Mooney, indicted for the murder of eight persons killed by the explosion of a bomb during the recent preparedness parade, is an accredited agent of President Mahon of the street car union, is made in a telegram signed by Charles M. Fickert, district attorney at San Francisco, forwarded to Mayor Mitchell today by President Shonts.

"I have evidence that Mooney dynamited an electric tower of the power line supplying the street car system of San Francisco with current, for the purpose of crippling the system prior to the strike and that, soon after the strike failed in San Francisco, the bomb throwing occurred. Mooney's expense account was sent to Mahon."

Shonts advised the mayor that if any further statement was desired, the district attorney of San Francisco will give whatever information is necessary.

When informed of the receipt of the telegram, Mahon denied that Mooney was an agent of his organization.

He said that the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees had helped pay Mooney's expenses in San Francisco but that this was solely for organization work among San Francisco street railway employees.

He denied that any authority had been given to Mooney to use violence. "We do not employ gunmen," said Mahon.

Philadelphia in Line

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 4.—The executive board of division No. 477 of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America, after a meeting here tonight announced that unless the demands of the motormen and conductors which were submitted today to Thomas A. Mitten, president of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. were answered favorably by noon tomorrow, a strike would be called within a few hours.

In their demands the men asked for forty cents an hour for all motormen and conductors' time and a half for all overtime and that all runs be straight runs; that all grievances shall be adjusted by a committee composed of union men and that men shall be al-

## KING GEORGE IS DETERMINED TO FIGHT TO THE END

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

LONDON, Aug. 4.—King George today telegraphed the heads of the entente allies on the occasion of the second anniversary of Great Britain's entry into the war as follows:

"On this, the second anniversary of the commencement of the great conflict in which my country and her gallant allies are engaged, I desire to convey to you my steadfast resolution to prosecute the war until our common efforts have attained the objects for which we in common have taken up arms.

"I feel assured that you are in accord with me in the determination that the sacrifices our valiant troops have so nobly made shall not have been suffered in vain and that the liberty for which they are fighting shall be fully guaranteed and secured."

King George also sent the following message to King Albert of Belgium:

"I desire to stress the confidence that the united efforts of the allies will liberate Belgium from the oppression of her aggressors and restore to her the full enjoyment of her national and economic inheritance.

"I also desire to convey my deep sympathy in the grievous trials to which Belgium is called to endure, and which she has borne with such admirable fortitude."

## PYTHIANS MEET IN DETROIT NEXT YEAR

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 4.—The selection of Detroit as the convention city for 1918 by the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, it became known that Minneapolis already had under way a movement for the convention four years hence.

Mrs. Lilly Samuels of Oakland, Cal., was elected supreme chief of the supreme temple, Pythian Sisters.

The supreme lodge elected officers as follows: Supreme chancellor, John J. Brown, Vandalla, Ill.; supreme vice chancellor, Charles S. Davis, Denver, Colo.; supreme prelate, Rev. Jos. H. Spaulding, Columbia, Tenn.; supreme keeper of records and seals, Fred E. Wheeler, Minneapolis, Minn.; supreme master of exchequer, Thomas D. Meares, Wilmington, Del.; supreme treasurer, Herman A. Beck, Birmingham, Ala.; supreme inner guard, Douglas S. Wright, Vicksburg, Miss.; supreme outer guard, Henry M. Wadsworth, Philadelphia, Pa.; grand exalted, George W. Banks, Grand Forks, N. D.; Wm. J. Dwyer, Hutchinson, Kas.; Edward A. Hockett, St. Thomas, Ont.

CHOLERA IN YOKOHAMA

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

YOKOHAMA, August 5.—There are thirty-two cases of cholera in Yokohama. Tokio has declared a quarantine against this city.

## DEATH LIST NOW OVER FOUR HUNDRED

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

CORAL, Ont., Aug. 4.—Estimates of the number of dead in the fire-swept area of northern Ontario were still divergent tonight. The offices of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railways, which reported 1,000 dead, estimated and unidentified dead. Rumors of additional loss of life and devastation in many instances proved false. Reports that many houses in Enniskillen were destroyed also were erroneous.

The country between Enniskillen and Matheson apparently escaped the flames. The return of a number of prospectors from the Boston Creek region who reached the railway gave rise to needless excitement in the locality. Bush fires which started months of conflict between Red Water and Tomiko are under control.

PROBE RAILROAD SITUATION

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4.—The joint committee created by congress to investigate the railroad situation, including the advisability of government ownership, organized today by electing Senator Newlands chairman, Representative Adamson, vice chairman, and Senator Robinson, secretary. The chairman and vice chairman were directed to report a program of procedure. Senator Newlands said tonight a plan would be reported in a few days.

LIGHTNING INJURES TEACHER

GRAND LAKE, Aug. 4.—Lightning struck and burned a summer cottage on the Harbison ranch near here today and seriously injured Miss Anna Voshburgh, a Chicago school teacher, one of the occupants. Miss Voshburgh was badly burned and her foot was badly lacerated.

lowed time off for all work of the union without loss of salary. No answer had been received from the company at a late hour tonight.

According to officers of the union, about one-half of the 4,500 employees will answer the call for a strike. Officials of the company, on the other hand, claim that less than 15 per cent of their men are members of the union and declare they have no fear of a strike.

## Astounding Waist Values—Best Dollar Values In Phoenix

On the table in our ready-to-wear dept. you'll find a great and varied collection of waists at the special price of one dollar. Silk waists in plain colors and stripes, light and dark shades, and cotton waists of voile, organdie, batiste, in stripes and plain white, trimmed with lace, edgings, insertions and embroidery. Come and see them—you'll be amazed.

### Skirts \$4.95

Wool skirts of corduroy, serge and novelties in dark shades. Others are silver bloom, awning material, plain white cotton corduroy and pique, each \$4.95.

### Skirts Special At \$2.25

Sport and awning stripes, awning material, linen and white pique, a big value at, each, \$2.25.

### Women's Lisle Hose 59c

A reliable white lisle hose with grip top and seamless foot, per pair, 59c.

### Women's Silk Fibre Hose 59c

A new shipment of these splendid hose, a white fibre silk, per pair, 59c.

### Smart New Millinery

Many new hats have just been received in our millinery department, clever ideas, the kind that smart dressers are showing a great fondness for. Women invariably look to this store for the new ideas. They come here expecting to find the best—and are not disappointed. Among the new arrivals are black tailored hats; white satin sailors for mid-summer wear and smart street hats in felt and velvet, many shades. Come and try them on.

### Clearance Of Wash Fabrics

We must make room for the new goods which are coming, so we disregard the cost of these beautiful materials. Printed and woven fancy voiles, marquisettes, etc., we've placed them on the tables where you can see them, and feel them, 35 to 40 inch goods, and offered at the remarkable price of 12½c and 25c per yd.



### Cotton Crepe

### Kimonos 89c

A splendid line of kimonos in plain colors and floral designs, a big value at, each, 89c.

### OAKLAND BEATS PHOENIX TO IT

OAKLAND, August 4.—An Oakland street car company today installed a second conductor on one of its cars whose duties will be not to ring fares and call streets, but to answer questions, help women on and off, amuse crying babies and make himself as useful and obliging to the traveling public as possible. If this "courtesy trolley" is successful additional men will be employed on other cars.

### TREATY SIGNED CONVEYING THE DANISH INDIES

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volve this government in difficulties under the Monroe doctrine "which might easily lead to war"—a consideration which it is understood has been prominently before the eyes of officials here in their negotiations for the purchase.

"In the interest of peace," said Senator Lodge, "it is of great importance that these islands should pass into the hands of the United States. From a military point of view their value can hardly be overestimated.

"The Danish Islands could be readily defended from attack, occupy a commanding strategic position, and are of incalculable value to the United States."

### HAIG CONFIDENT OF SUCCESSFUL FINISH OF WAR

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Africa, and Lieutenant General Smuts, commander of the South African forces, urging the continuance of the war with determination.

The resolution moved by Premier Asquith was carried by acclamation.

## To the Housewives of Phoenix and Community

Do you care to save your money. Of course it's hot and energy is at a premium, but ladies, it's easier for you to save your husband's money by careful buying than it is for him to make it these hot days. Come to our store or telephone us for a comparison of prices with what you are paying.

13 lbs. granulated Sugar for \$1.00, with \$5.00 order of other groceries.	
7 large bars White Soap	25c
8 lbs. California Spuds	25c
50 lbs. California Spuds	\$1.40
10 lb. Sack Table Salt	15c
10 lb. size Pure Lard	\$1.60
Quarts self-sealing Mason Jars	57c
Sugared Cured Bacon, in 3 to 5 lb. strips, per pound	22c
Jelly Glasses, per dozen	26c
12 cans Van Camp's Pork and Beans	95c
This is cheaper than buying the dry beans.	
Large cans Sauer Kraut or Hominy	10c
10 lb. can Corn Syrup	55c
12 packages Macaroni	40c

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